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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Members of the State Board of Education

FROM: Joy Hofmeister

DATE: May 24, 2018

SUBJECT: Recognition of School Administrators' completion of the Moving UP:
Transitioning into the Principalship, Cohort 2.

The Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE) in partnership with Education Technical Assistance Services (EDUTAS) and South Central Comprehensive Center (SC3), provided a series of professional learning opportunities focused on developing turnaround leadership skills and competencies through the Moving UP pilot project. OSDE recruited 21 assistant principals and first or second year principals to participate. Participants received six full-days of face-to-face professional learning lead by best-selling author, Peter Dewitt, five additional virtual sessions, one-on-one coaching, five team Zoom meetings with their coach, an online platform to share resources, and a closed social media group to build an engaging professional learning network during the seven month cohort. This professional learning opportunity was made possible through grant funding from the Southern Regional Education Board. Today we will recognize the participation of principals and coaches as well as our partnership with EDUTAS and SC3.